Which was read the first time.

Mr. Stirling moved that the rules be suspended, to give said bill a second reading;

Determined in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Landing,

The vote just taken was re-considered, and

Said bill was read the second time, and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Stirling,

The rules were suspended, and the said bill was read the third time, three-fourths of the members concurring, and passed by yeas and nays, as follow:

AFFIRMATIVE.

McPherson. Messrs. Berry, Sp'r, Richardson. Smith, of B. city, Neale, Davis, Kennard, Ford, of Cecil. Wickes, Lynch, of B. city, Kidd. Mackubin, Wyville, Harrington, Kilbourn, Contee, Crowley, Griffiss. Forrest, Magruder, Larrimore, Alexander, Burgess, Landing, Walker. Harding, Rohrer, Ford, of Balt. co. Bowlus, Summers, Duvall, Lynch, of B. co. Root, Worthington, Smith, of Balt. co. Koons, Thruston, Hobbs, Goldsborough, Barnard, Waller. Bacon, Moore, Baker. McKinstry. McGonigal, Sudler, of Som. Day, Welling, Stirling, Tilghman, Dorsey-54. Dail, Rogers,

NEGATIVE-None.

The said bill was then sent to the Senate.

The hour having arrived for taking up the order of the day,

On motion of Mr. Wickes,

The consideration of the order of the day was postponed until 11 o'clock.

Mr. Wickes, from a select committee, reported favorably on the bill entitled, an act to protect the public bridge, at Compton, in Queen Anne's county;

Which was read the first time; also,

Favorably on the bill entitled, an act act to authorise the